

# Carter Defeats Murphy; Leonard Kayoes White

## SOUTHWESTERN CHAMPIONSHIP VERDICT OF REFEREE McDONALD

Aggressiveness of Titleholder Coupled With Severe Punishment in Clinches Gives Him Substantial Margin at End of Contest; Murphy Tries Hard for Knockout; Both Clever, Game and Fast.

By BUD RUTHERFORD.

SOUTHWESTERN lightweight champion Tommy Carter, of El Paso, successfully defended his title Monday night at the Fort Bliss athletic association punch bowl when he was awarded the decision over Tommy Murphy, fifth division champion, by referee Jack McDonald at the end of 10 rounds of close boxing.

Carter's aggressiveness, his willingness to box or mix it at close range, his clean punching and cleverness enabled the fast little titleholder to the decision. Murphy proved a splendid little sportsman, a terrific hitter, a snappy boxer and a game little battler but he could not cope with the more determined style of Carter.

The decision was popular with everyone in the arena. The referee, Jack McDonald, was given a hand by the fans when he stepped from the ring after the contest. The bout was one of the best and cleanest staged at the big arena this year.

Murphy, game and still capable of landing a dangerous punch, was badly weakened during the final rounds of the contest. Tommy, of the fifth, fighting to a half crouch throughout the battle, did not possess the strength and speed of his aggressive rival who continually pushed the fight and was always ready to mix it.

Just what weakened Murphy is not known. It may have been the constant pounding of Carter's right hand which reduced the reserve strength of the champion.

Murphy showed a disposition to

mix things up to the seventh, when he weakened, and then Carter began to pile up his points. The referee, Jack McDonald, was holding his own and the bout was about even. Carter stepped up to that round. Then Carter cut loose. He tore after the champion and scored the victory on the succeeding rounds.

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Carter won handily. The former southern division lightweight champion on the other hand boxed better than ever before. Carter used his left and right hands and caused his supporters to jump to their feet many times by his desire to slug in the clinches. Tommy showed to 50 percent more advantage than in his bout against Hill, due mainly to the fact that he had an opponent who was willing to mix it.

Summary of the rounds gives Carter eight, Murphy three and four were drawn. Murphy's rounds were the third, fourth and fifth.

The first was a standstill and the second belonged to Carter. The 10th Carter had his best round. The little El Pasoan brought blood from Murphy's nose with a series of stiff blows to the head and face and also punished the sturdy champion in the clinches. He did all of the leading in that round.

Carter had the second, sixth, seventh, 10th, 12th, 13th, 14th. Murphy landed several strong blows in the 11th, when Carter jumped and tried to knock him out. Carter also won the 15th.

Referee Jack McDonald officiated in the headlines of the evening and Scott Morrison worked in the preliminaries. Each was capable in the highest degree. Harry Kane was knocked out by Scott Morrison.

Tommy Nelson challenged the winner of the headlines, while Kid Payo, the little El Paso feather crack was introduced. He is to meet Dick Griffin at the arena, July 19.

One incident caused a stir in the preliminary contests which met with the disapproval of the fans but which was not the fault of the referee.

For two rounds Sallor Winterstein pounded Eddie Hanlon. Using about every blow in the flat leather "Winter" slammed Eddie around the ring and then suddenly quit in the third session.

He had a substantial lead on points when he walked out to referee and announced that he did not stop giving as his reason "that he was out of condition and could not continue." He appeared in tip top trim and it was only necessary for him to box five more rounds in the preliminary contest as he had already piled up a substantial lead on Hanlon. Winterstein's end of the fight was being held up by the Fort Bliss boxing officer as a result of his showing in the contest.

Had he known the form in the remaining rounds which featured his work in the first two against Hanlon there is little doubt but that he would have won the match.

Mike Wins Another. Mike Jacques topped the game of the night in the first round of the special event. Jacques was ably handled by Kid Payo and he showed himself to be a fighter as well as a wrestler, which is saying a good deal.

Yasquez showed much pep and science and has the makings of a good boxer with careful training. The man is a fighter.

Young Tommy Murphy and (Hollor) Brown were billed to go on as curtain raiser, but the little fellows put up a match which rivaled the main event from the standpoint of evenly matched ability and accomplishment.

Murphy was the decision in the fourth round when he dropped Brown with a stiff left and right to the jaw. Brown rose on one knee but was too late as he missed the count of the referee.

A continuance of the match would have resulted in Brown receiving a severe beating as Murphy was setting better and dealing out considerable punishment to his opponent. Murphy kept his left hand in the face of his opponent throughout the contest and led in two of the three preceding rounds.

This boy has all the earmarks of a coming champ. Veteran Freddie Grooms has charge of him and it is sure that he will get good training.

## KNIGHTS LOSE ANOTHER GAME

Drop Second Contest in as Many Days to International Team.

In a brief free hitting contest the Knights of Columbus team was again defeated Monday afternoon by the hard hitting International team, 18 to 7. The Knights were unable to back up their hurriers and many runs resulted. A movement in on foot to supplement the Knight team with the Lester Motor company, leader of the International league. This will be submitted tonight at a special meeting at the office of mayor R. C. Sample.

The matter of allowing Alamogordo representation in the league will also be taken up.

The score:

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Adams, 2B	2	1	0	0	0	0
Canham, 1B	2	1	0	0	0	0
Duffy, 3B	2	1	0	0	0	0
Brown, 4B	2	1	0	0	0	0
McGinnis, 5B	2	1	0	0	0	0
Maric, 6B	1	0	0	0	0	0
Davis, 7B	1	0	0	0	0	0
Brown, 8B	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hennas, 9B	1	0	0	0	0	0
Barnes, 10B	1	0	0	0	0	0
Midway, 11B	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	21	14	17	18	7	0

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
International	1	1	1	1	1	1
Chambers, 1B	1	1	1	1	1	1
Chaves, 2B	1	1	1	1	1	1
Chambers, 3B	1	1	1	1	1	1
Levy, 4B	1	1	1	1	1	1
McGinnis, 5B	1	1	1	1	1	1
Armedness, 6B	1	1	1	1	1	1
Levy, 7B	1	1	1	1	1	1
Adams, 8B	1	1	1	1	1	1
Totals	11	11	14	14	4	0

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## Competent Coaches For Texas Berry Whitaker Football Head

By ROY J. McLEAN.

AUSTIN, Tex., July 6.—The athletic activities of the University of Texas during the 1931-32 season will be handled by the largest and most efficient group of coaches that has ever been gotten together by a southern institution. With an attendance which is expected to exceed the 4000 mark, and with the increasing interest in sports and physical training in general since the war, even this staff will be taxed to the utmost to fulfill the need.

Whitaker Is Charge. The football coaching staff is composed of five former college stars, headed by Berry M. Whitaker, formerly quarterback of the University of Indiana. Whitaker was assistant coach of the 1912 team and is the main responsible for the inauguration and development of varsity intramural activities. His past success as a coach of wall football and fighting teams led to his selection last spring as the proper man to lead the Longhorns to victory this fall.

As first assistant to Whitaker, Charles E. Seldon will act as head line coach. Seldon was all-weather runner of the Ohio State University's championship team for three years. His playing ability and coaching experience, gained as the best guard in the middle west, although he only weighed 140 pounds.

Tom handle the freshman football team, and also to take charge of Indiana. The university secured Clyde Littlefield, Littlefield made more letters than any other athlete ever made at the University of Texas. For four

consecutive years he made his letter in football, basketball, and track, and in all three sports he was reckoned as a star of the first magnitude.

Bryan Also On Job. To handle the second-string men, known in varsity circles as the Short-horns, R. D. Bryan has been engaged. Bryan was a former football star of Washington and Lee University. He played in the line for four years on the strongest teams ever turned out by that institution.

Albert Penn, of Austin, will be the line coach of the freshmen. He was on the 1916-17-18 football teams of the university, and was rated as one of the headliners in the south-west.

The baseball team will be coached by the incomparable Billy Dieck, who has just turned out his ninth consecutive championship team at the University of Texas. "Bibi" has probably turned out more championship teams and developed more star baseball players than any other coach in the country, and the young man who is able to get under his suitcase is fortunate indeed.

As stated above, Littlefield will handle track. For the past three years, Littlefield has been coaching the Greenville, Texas, high school football and track teams and turning out winning teams. His experience as a former star and coach should insure the success of the Longhorns in track next spring.

Wrestling and cross country will be in charge of Jack McLean. Both these sports will be placed on an intercollegiate basis next season, and excellent competition is looked for.

Wilson Is Southpaw Mixer  
Conqueror Of O'Dowd Is Fast

NEW YORK, July 6.—It was rather a surprise when Mike O'Dowd, who lost his middleweight to a man who fights with his right hand extended, wasn't it? It was rather a surprise when Mike should win the title from a boxer who affected the same pose.

Wilson in the history of boxing has a man with a title from a fellow who fought with his right hand extended and lost a title to another of that sort.

Johnny Wilson, the new champion, is a Harlem Italian.

He didn't stop Mike, but he was so far ahead at the end of the 12th round that the Boston referee just had to raise his hand and make him champ.

Of course, Mike will make a pulp. All champs do after their title is gone.

O'Dowd did fairly well as a champion. He gave nearly every title hunter a chance, and handed most of them pretty good punches.

Johnny Wilson is in line to clean up middleweight now.

We have no really good middleweights here, and his path to riches ought to be pretty soft.

Johnny Wilson—kind of shocks you, doesn't it?

He dropped out of the sky, just as other champions have done.

No one knew Ketchel when he beat Joe Thomas.

Young Corbet was an unknown when he met Dempsey.

Jack Dempsey was unheard of until he had beaten Smith, Morris and Brennan.

It's the "unknowns" that you have to watch.

The Greatest Fighter  
He Ever Saw.

Dear Tad—I have been reading articles on the "Greatest Fighter," but I have not yet heard about the greatest of them all.

I refer to Frank Erpe, the modest Buffalo boy. When he was lightweight champion of the world he met Gans in New York, and fight followers of that day will never forget the battle.

Frank Erpe, if he did not outbox, did clearly outfight and outpace Gans and made Joe quit cold in the 12th round. Coming out of a clinch, Frank chopped a hard left to Gans's right eye. It cut Joe's eyebrow, which hung bleeding over the eye, and Joe asked that excuse to say to the referee:

"I cannot go any further," and quit. Two years later Gans beat Erpe in a round, but Frank had not taken good care of himself, ran into one of Joe's beautifully timed short rights and lost his world championship.

Those who remember Gans's career as a featherweight have not forgotten how Al Herford, then his manager, used to work to give Joe an ace in the hole in every match. In those days weight forfeits did not run very high. Joe could not make 115 or even 120 pounds to save his life and never tried to. Herford would put a small forfeit and Gans would come in six or seven pounds over weight, forfeit a few

What Do You  
Know About Sport?

1—What horse won the Colombian free for all at Washington park track Chicago, in 1927?

2—Who won the 100 yard dash in the 1919 national A. A. U. track meet?

3—Who won the 440 yard run in the 1919 national A. A. U. track meet?

4—Was E. Norris Williams ever national clay court tennis champion?

5—How old is Martin Burke?

6—Where did Robert Garver finish in the 1929 English amateur golf tournament?

7—Has Joe Ruth always been a .300 hitter in the majors?

8—What year did Grover Alexander win 10 or more games?

9—With what club in the National league did Larry Cheney play last year?

10—How old is Billy Southworth?

## FT. BLISS STARS AGAIN VICTORS

Defeat Fast Alamogordo Team When Coombs Holds Rivals.

Alamogordo, N. M., July 6.—Lieut. Barnes and his Fort Bliss all star team won its second successive game here Sunday from the snappy Alamogordo team by the score of 14 to 2. Coombs, star moundsman of the Fort Bliss team, allowed the Alamogordo boys but few hits and kept these well scattered.

The score:

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Port Bliss	5	2	0	0	0	0
Weaver, 1B	2	0	0	0	0	0
Troutman, 2B	2	0	0	0	0	0
McGinnis, 3B	2	0	0	0	0	0
Bush, 4B	2	0	0	0	0	0
Smith, 5B	2	0	0	0	0	0
Winters, 6B	2	0	0	0	0	0
Coombs, 7B	4	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	24	2	0	0	0	0

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Alamogordo	5	0	0	0	0	0
Devlin, 1B	2	0	0	0	0	0
Troutman, 2B	2	0	0	0	0	0
Ware, 3B	2	0	0	0	0	0
A. Quinn, 4B	2	0	0	0	0	0
Crater, 5B	2	0	0	0	0	0
E. Quinn, 6B	2	0	0	0	0	0
Anderson, 7B	2	0	0	0	0	0
McKee, 8B	2	0	0	0	0	0
Warnock, 9B	2	0	0	0	0	0
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## WORLD'S CHAMPION BESTS RIVAL BY KNOCKOUT IN NINTH ROUND

Benny Allows White to Do Most of the Leading Up to the Last Round When he Assumed the Ag